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ger case; but he could not control the best service. his risibles when he thought about him, probably, but the idea that Ver- does not matter so much about

the current month. It is to be sup- of the City Hall Building. It has litposed that he has been more careful tle natural light, the ventilation in his loading this time than he was is bad, the dimensions of the room when he took the stand not long ago altogether inadequate, and the appear-

meeting in Saint Paul some very large this town. results will be obtained "in getting City Council should provide immed-the attention of the people of this tately for the building of a courthouse

hairy system" in Denmark impressed it would be cheap at the price, on this trip, but we are reasonably sure that he heard something about regions of Gallatia and Cappadocio, not to speak of Braggadocio, all of

and some effort has been made to atfrom the creatures that dwell out in the woods, the woods which they are trying to save. The snake "charms" not talk for publication.

## WANT THE PAIRS REVIVED.

A number of our exchanges are urgby all old Virginians.

This is a good idea and the only

ther education of our people in good States are protected if they are at farming. There are more lutensive tacked by any foreign power. farmers in Virginia to-day than there have ever been, and our old acres are into a stable union is a tribute to yielding better crops and bigger crops England's wonderful colonial pol'cy than ever in the history of the State.

home to test what they have heard. Prize, and at every fair there should POSTAGE PAID. Tear. Mos. Mos. Mo be a genuine revival of old Virginia

ioners of Richmond bought several "respirator" helmets, designed for the use of firemen when engaged in their Pinchot has come back. He reached space of thirty minutes without dis-New York on Monday by the steam- comfort, and afterwards spent the same about anything the reporters wanted ed with the fumes of burning charcoal is inferred that his insides are in that the department will be supplied kept up very closely with the Ballin- saving devices to enable it to perform

We would like to suggest that the Vertrees, one of the few Tennes- officers of the Police Court and the small 'possum up a big tree." It was of the same sort, or some other equaltrees had associated him even in this lawyers-they can take care of themother side, and he is brimful of infor- mere looker-on in Vienna, or as the other ambition than the welfare of this out of the question, we do not Kerby anxious for his country's wel- be a disgrace to any half-civilized great courage and steadfastly for tion. If the Legislature reconvenes, it ever, that Pinchot feels entirely safe smelling, packed during the morning with his friends and that there will hours with the flotsam and jetsam of faith of the fathers, and his friends some time about the middle of courtroom is situated in the basement

country increased in the subject as it to be used exclusively for the hold-has presented itself here." That might mean a great many things, and to a man up a tree it might mean only one it now and do it while there is a suggest. Henry Watterson, or James for such a building at a reasonable Garfield, or Collier's Weekly, or Price? It is said that the old Ford but none of them will, yet awhile, be bought for about \$160,000, and the There must be a conference about it city would be fully justified in taking stepping just here to do more than thich will help considerably at the that justice, which ought to be blind It is said that none of the anti- to be blind just a little better if the Administration Republicans met Mr. light of day were a little stronger. Pinchot when he landed in New York, Either there should be a new courthave to go there on business or from tion when he came. That is not the necessity should be supplied with "resway he works. That is not the way pirators" when they enter the present

HOW THE BRITISH DO IT. There is so much to think about in this country with Pinchot back "in our and the other things slip up on their midst" and Congress still in session quarry. Of course, Mr. Pinchot would and an election ahead, that we do not spend much time in worrying about the troubles of other nations or re joicing in their achievements. Least of all are we disturbed about South ing that the old-fashioned county Africa, since it is not a very good fairs be revived. They think the time market for American goods, and is has come when the people have enough only useful for supplying those diainterest and pride in their county to monds which shine to perfection on support a fair and they believe that Richmond women. Just at this time, there is already enough sentiment however, the observant should stick a back of the movement to restore the pin in the map of that part of the old fairs which are fondly remembered dark continent, because many and in-

teresting things are happening there. After several years of quiet prepawonder is that it has not been sug- ration, Great Britain has decided that gested before. Of course, the county South Africa is old enough and strong fairs ought to be revived, because the enough to take off swaddling clothes counties need them as a part of their and care for itself. Parliament outsocial life. In the last few years lined a plan of government for the there has been a marked decline in country around Cape Town, the King the social intercourse of the country named a Governor-General and the people. The churches still attract rest was left to the people of South them, and public meetings bring them Africa. They are British subjects and together, but the rural free delivery they owe allegiance to the mother has put an end to the daily journey country, but they can have their own to the cross-roads store and the abo- government, choose their own local lition of the county courts has doomed officers and administer their own af The latter was really fairs. Day before yesterday, as the the great day of the month for the first step in this programme, Herbert county, and was of inestimable value Gladstone, the old Premier's son and in bringing the Whole county together. Covernor-General of United South Af-The "sales days" which have been ar- rica, formed his Cabinet and anranged in some of the counties, have nounced that elections would be held in a measure compensated for this, during the next few months. The but the re-establishment of the coun-ty fair, extending over a week, will do electoral laws, men to represent them. as much again to bring old friends to- to levy their taxes and to frame their gether and to make new acquaintances laws. England and the English Pur-The fair ought to be revived also liament is not to interfere, and will because its revival will mean the furmerely see that the South African

> This peaceful revolution of a colony and proof, if proof be needed, that

new farming devices, hear experts faithful. It was not always thus, and the time he is not spending in New discuss farming, see the practical re- local self-government was the thing York, ever heard of Dr. Mittag, or successful American Revolution showed said, was saved by the loss of Amer- lished beyond further question Daily with Sunday......\$4.00 \$1.00 .55 good fellowship, which is worth more loa. Ever since that time she has nativity of Andrew Jackson. Mr. Sin-Daily without Sunday... 4.00 2.01 1.00 .55 than all the rest combined. recognized the rights of her colonies clair says: Sunday edition only.... 2.00 1.00 .50 .25 and has given them liberties which "My father, although a Whig, was and has given them liberties which keep them faithful to England while

English policy is against the taxation of her colonies, and rightly so. perilous work. It is claimed that the for their actions and receives her only solutely protected against suffocation. trade, In this case, her policy will The helmet was tested yesterday morn- surely be justified, for South Africa is ng with excellent results. The chief a coming country. Its resources are ably not yet been estimated by even tight room, in which three pounds of the most optimistic. Within a gonsulphur were burned. They remain- eration it will be felt in the commerce bounty of the Empire

Beverley Munford passed away yes terday before his sun had yet reached brief as we who are left behind look

the circle of his influence. the Commonwealth; in the larger see how there can be any division of principle, unmoved by the fascinations may of the demagogue and true to the him because in him they found "higherected thoughts seated in the heart

## ANDY JACKSON'S NATIVITY.

We know what's the matter with bills Writing to the New York Sun from Rathdrum, Idaho, about the place of says that "there is a great deal of conclusive evidence that Lancaster County, North Carolina, is entitled to a little different and not a bit worse if he had never been born, we wish

Rev. David Robinson, a highly respected and thoroughly sincere minister of sumably the Methodist Episcopal Church, South), made a searching inconclusions, with the evidence to sustain them, were printed in a number Mr. Sinclair asserts, "I have never doubt if their existence is generally known." It would be found, doubtless, containing these letters were either Dr. Robinson was a scholarly gentle man and well along in years when he made his researches and gathered much information of a most interesting and reliable nature concerning Jackson's birthplace and his early childhood. Dr. Robinson's efforts were so painstaking and ample that there ought to be no doubt that the famous Waxhaws District of Lancaster, S. C. is Old Hickory's true natal spot." There is no doubt among students Mr. Sinclair certainly does not doubt the absolute accuracy of Dr. Robinson's conclusions He was living in published and distinctly recalls read ing them at the time, and he likewise regrets that he did not preserve them. set Historian Salley on the trail, and he will get them unless the Observer them. In proof of his good faith Mr. Sinclair gives in his letter to the Sun county:

"This northerly county of South Carolina is one of the most beautiful in the entire South, Twenty-five years ago its attractive pine and hardwood forests, its rivers and springs and cotton fields had no superiors.

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"The famous Dr. J. Marion Sims was a native of Lancaster county, and there laid the foundation for his subsequent discoveries. The county is largely peopled by the descendants of the early Scotch-Irish settlers. There we find many of the Witherspoons, Wylles, Carters, Conners, Moores, Crocketts, Caskevs, Stephenses, Allisons, Prices, Lancaster county was the home of the hermit scholar, Dr. Mittag, whom I remember well. He used to correspond with Professor used to correspond with Professor Whitney, of Yale, in Chinese, inscrib ing the characters for economy's sak on post cards" Of course, this is not conclusive

upon the Andy Jackson question, but, it proves that the writer could not be mistaken about the Robinson letters when he can recall the names of so many people in Lancaster who have given character to its citizenship. We but the half is not yet achieved. All old England has learned her lesson doubt very much that Colonel Leroy

and knows how to keep her children Springs, who lives in Lancaster all gress to decide on a uniform that will that he knows any of the Witherdesired in their colonies. When the spoons or Conners or Wylies or Car- Taft to encase himself in a tightthe folly of binding the feet of grow- associated in business. But all this suspender-buttons, and it would be

he lived in Richmond, he died in Legislature. Some of the party lead-Richmond, and in Richmond will he ers think that the Governor did the interests that his best thought was primary measure; others say the Gov devoted and his most arduous toll so ernor made the mistake of his life in even in his name, and his life, all too and spent the people's money so lib-

was the "honorable counsellor." jealous inwardness of the political situation Hughes may warn the Republican Hughes nor any other man can keep ambitious legislators from introducing scared, even as the coon was scared legislature meets in answer to Gover after the colored person had run him nor Highes's call, it will remain until up a tree preparatory to his capture. Governor Hughes is sick and tired of

heresy, or rank treason, according to the point of view. Military uniforms and distinctive dress for the President? Who was the President anyway but the first of public servants, possersing the true historical spirit, and why should he and other civilian officers of government have clothes different from those of their fellowcitizens? Benjamin Franklin went to Lancaster at the time the letters were Versailles in a suit of homespun, with a round hat-we suspect it was made from the skin of a Virginia coop-and a thorn stick. He was distinguished in his dress, to be sure, but he meant it to be democratic, and his friends in America approved what they termed the old man's simplicity. The Federalists tried to break away from this custom, and even the Jeffersonian Democrats thought that a chapeau and a few pounds of gold braid might be used by public servants, but James Buchanan put an end to this by his famous "plain clothes" circular, which directed that American public servants, not holding military rank, should dress as other citizens and should not ape royalty.

This was a long time ago, and, of course, it was feelishness. Nobody can doubt the wisdom of changing the style in this enlightened age, There are, however, one or two points worth noting before petitioning Congress to adopt a uniform for the President, the ex-President and all our diplomatic forces. In the first place, how is Con-

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beauty? It would be the refinement of torture, for instance, to require Mr.

ters except those with whom he is fitting blouse, striking him about the a future Lincoln that should lengthen

that one should hone for the sight of much water, which will explain, probably, the thirst of the old fellow from Charleston who felt so dry when he

Illughes nor any other man can keep ambitbus legislators from introducing Charleston who felt so dry when he bilis and foolish delegates from discussing them. Just as surely as the legislature meets in answer to Governor flightes's call, it will remain until Governor Hughes as sick and tired in a river, and would not to do-many things it ought not to do-many things Hughes does not wint it do.

The frouble with Legislatures is that they disk their service is measured by the mass of legislation they grind out, resuling that they are the law making bodies, they think they must make laws, no matter what the laws making bodies, they think they must make laws, no matter what the laws making bodies, they think they must make laws, no matter what the laws making bodies, they think they disk feet in the season of the Legislature generally leaves a volume of iee closely printed pages as its moniment, and that is about all.

If Governor Hughes had really wanted to do a great public service and had been analous to make himself solid with the American public before he changes his sphere of service, he should have called a special season of the Legislature and pledged his party leaded are one of the Legislature and pledged his party leaded are of the continuous and that he are worse than useless.

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It has been discovered that the first daily newspaper ever published in the world was published by a woman. It was called "The Courant," and was published March 11, 1702. Elizabeth Mallet was the woman who did it, and it was filled entirely with "news." The name of the editor was significant of the char acter of the business.

Gienn H. Curtiss is finding the news papers about the easiest "pickings" that ever were. Not content with get ting \$10,600 from the New York World he is mildly suggesting that a "race from New York to Washington migh be interesting and then accepts a plac in a \$25,000 race from New York to Chicago. There is nothing like the nerve of the successful sportsman, be ie aeronaut or pugilist.

We agree with the Hartford Courant that "Tawney got what was coming to him": but we do not like its dissemb-ling when it says, "Perhaus another ime those Democrats from up Norl will have more discretion." Tawns a Republican, and the Courant please look after the manners of its own party.

# Daily Queries and Answers

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# After spending a week at a first-class hotel in New York, it is natural QUEEN MARY'S NEW MISTRESS OF ROBES

laws that are worse than useless.

PRESIDENTIAL TOGS.

"If they give the President the power, they should give him the clothes to go with the power." Thus reasons the Army and Navy Journal, which is the sworn champion of militarism in this country. The President, says the Journal, be he present or past, should not be compelled to go about the country in a plug-hat and a freek coat. He should have a uniform that becomes his exalted station and should always be distinguished by his dress no matter where he is.

Before crying a loud Amen to this excellent proposal, we might pause to remark that there was a time when such as this would have been agrant heresy, or rank treason, according to the pattern of the suntry and not provided the process. The characters and not protest against the objects pletured? We believe in going to the heart of the sub-lever and not protest, against the objects pletured? We believe in going to the heart of the sub-lever and point to the power. Thus, has been requisitioned for the return of a maleged embezzier who has taken refuse in that State from Tennessee. The Chattanooga Times says: "Governor Ansel, of South Carolina, has been requisitioned for the return of a maleged embezzier who has taken refuse in that State from Tennessee. The Chattanooga Times says: "Governor Ansel, of South Carolina, has been requisitioned for the return of a maleged embezzier who has taken refuse in that State from Tennessee. The Chattanooga Times says: "Governor Ansel, of South Carolina, has been requisitioned for the return of a maleged embezzier who has taken refuse in that State from Tennessee. The Chattanooga Times says: "Governor Ansel, of South Carolina, has been requisitioned for the return of a maleged embezzier who has taken requisitioned for the return of the surface of the court at St. Peters-town, and the latter's added throughout the new refuse. The mistress of the court fall throughout the new refuse of camarera mayor de placto at Ma-frid: that is to say, she is at the fed of the entire head o

to hear than to give the sacrifice of fools," said the Preacher. We are very much mistaker if these words do not apply to the pulpit as well as to the pews, and particularly in view of the good counsel which immediately follows: "Be not rash with thy mouth."

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tempts to win the America Cuo as andvertising scheme for his business. Without imputing any such motives to Sir Thomas, who has at any rate the sportsman's quality of being a good loser, the fact remains that on each occasion when he has raced for the cun, the tremendous publicity which he has received in connection therewith has had the effect of so boomins his business on both sides of the Atlantic as to more than cover all his expenditure upon the contest.

The squadron has fust held its annual meeting at Claridge's Hotel, under the presidency of its commodore, Lord Ormonde, those present including the Dukes of Leeds. Abercorn and Somerset, Lords Dunraven. Lonsdale, Shaftesbury, Algerion Gordon Lennox, Brassey, etc. Eleven new members were elected among them Lord Penrivan, the young Marquis of Anglesey, who has recently nurchased from Anthony Drexel the latter's steam yacht who the married to the eldest sister of Harry Wha That Canada and Almerte Paget, who is married to the eldest sister of Harry Pederale, who, under the name of "Bartie" Mittford wrote "Tales of Old Japan," taless the place of the late Montague Guest as librarien of the club, and Lord Albemarle and Canada. R. Sleene Stanley are the new members of the salling committee. (Converght, 1910, by the Brentwood Commany.)



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